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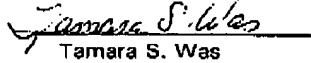
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Appn No.:	10/642,891)	Confirmation No. 3353
Filed:	August 18, 2003)	
Applicant(s):	TOLLNER)	CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE
Title:	Concrete Thickener for Thickening Concrete Article, Said Concrete Article and Process for Producing Same)	I hereby certify that this paper is being FAXED to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on this date.
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment/reply in the above-identified application.

- An Appendix including amended drawing figures labeled as "Annotated Marked-up Drawings" is enclosed.
- A Petition for Extension of Time for reply within the Third month is attached.
- No additional fee is required.

Fee Calculation For Claims As Amended

	As Amended	Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Independent Claims	1	-	**	0 x \$ 200.00	= \$ 0.00
Total Claims	16	-	22	0 x \$ 50.00	= \$ 0.00
Fee for Multiple Dependent Claims				\$ 360.00	= \$ 0.00
** At least 3				Total Additional Fee	\$ 0.00
* At least 20					

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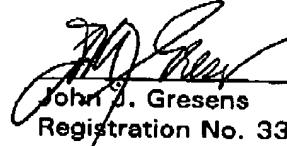
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